H.R.6296

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

July 16, 2008

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

AN ACT

To extend through 2013 the authority of the Federal Election Commission to impose civil money penalties on the basis of a schedule of penalties established and published by the Commission.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

1 SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY AU-

- 2 THORITY OF FEDERAL ELECTION COMMIS-
- 3 SION THROUGH 2013.
- 4 (a) Extension of Authority.—Section
- 5 309(a)(4)(C) of the Federal Election Campaign Act of
- 6 1971 (2 U.S.C. 437g(a)(4)(C)) is amended by adding at
- 7 the end the following new clause:
- 8 "(iv) This subparagraph shall apply with respect to
- 9 violations that relate to reporting periods that begin on
- 10 or after January 1, 2000, and that end on or before De-
- 11 cember 31, 2013.".
- 12 (b) Conforming Amendment.—Section 640 of the
- 13 Treasury and General Government Appropriations Act,
- 14 2000 (Public Law 106–58; 2 U.S.C. 437g note) is amend-
- 15 ed by striking subsection (c).
- 16 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 17 this section shall take effect as if included in the enact-
- 18 ment of the Treasury and General Government Appropria-
- 19 tions Act, 2000.

Passed the House of Representatives July 15, 2008.

Attest: LORRAINE C. MILLER,

Clerk.

By Robert F. Reeves,

Deputy Clerk.